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Filed: June 27, 2003 Docket No.: 100110947-1  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 1, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and is proposing this Amendment to place the application in a condition for allowance. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: